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REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§1.111, 1.115, 1.118 AND 1.119

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In complete response to the Official Action dated July 10, 1996, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 9, line 31, change "S₂" to --CS₂--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims and add new claims as follows:

1. (Amended) An [active] activated alumina catalyst comprising a cocatalytically effective amount of sodium values, said effective amount, expressed by weight of Na₂O, ranging from 1,200 ppm to 2,700 ppm.

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